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SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS
LOK SABHA

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Will the Minister of SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has received any proposals for broadening and strengthening of bridges in the Kanyakumari-Thiruvananthapuram Highway like Chenkatti Bridge, Suchindrum Bridge, etc.,

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the current status thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS (SHRI K.H. MUNIYAPPA)

(a) to (c) National Highway No. 47 from Kanyakumari to Thiruvananthapuram is included in National Highways Development Project (NHDP) Phase IIIA for 4-laning on Build, Operate and Transfer(BOT) basis. The preparation of Detailed Project Report for 4-laning of this National Highway is in progress. This includes two bridges, namely Chenkatti Bridge and Suchindrum Bridge and other structures existing on this National Highway.